

MAP operation: "Send Routing Information".

48. (NEW) The apparatus of claim 40, wherein the calling subscriber number identification is included in an Extension Container field of a MAP operation: "Send Routing Information".

49. (NEW) The apparatus of claim 40, wherein the calling subscriber number identification is included as a new parameter of a predetermined type in a MAP operation: "Provide Roaming Number".

50. (NEW) The apparatus of claim 40, wherein the calling subscriber number identification is included in an Extension Container field of a MAP operation: "Provide Roaming Number".

#### IN THE ABSTRACT

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#### REMARKS

The written description has been amended and the claims and Abstract have been replaced in order to place this application in better form for examination. Favorable consideration is respectfully solicited.

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[CLAIMS] WHAT IS CLAIMED IS: